

WORD TO YO' PEEPS

If you choose to accept this challenge you will be making a parts of speech **word cloud** or **collage** with at least **75 words** of the **same part of speech**.

You must come see me **during tutorials** or **break time** to draw one of the following parts of speech out of the bucket. Whatever you draw out is the part of speech you must do your project on.

Possibilities are:

Past tense verbs
Present tense verbs
Progressive verbs
Abstract nouns
Concrete nouns
Common nouns
Proper nouns
Pronouns
Adjectives
Adverbs
Prepositions

What if I draw out something that I know nothing about?

You will then have the privilege of LEARNING SOMETHING NEW!

Okay, so I have my part of speech, what do I do now?

Step 1: Research your part of speech. What do these words look like? Do they have similar suffixes? What is the function of your part of speech in a sentence? This activity will require research and work outside of school time. Understand that self-driven RESEARCH is involved and that your teacher is not a reference book for extra credit projects.

Step 2: Find your words. Collect words from different sources and mediums. Create a list of words you will use in your project.

Step 3: Choose your medium. You may go the hands-on route and create a collage with a poster, scissors, a glue stick, and some magazine clippings of words, pictures of words, and maybe some written words. Or, you can go the techno route and use your Word Cloud app on your iPad to create your project. You may also use other types of technology to create this project. You have a lot of freedom with this project.

Guidelines:

- Your project may not mix parts of speech.
- Your project must focus on only the part of speech that was assigned to you.
- Your part of speech must have your part of speech named as a main focus (title size).
- Your project must have your name on the front. You can even hide it in the words, but it must be on the front.
- Your project must contain at least 75 words that are your assigned part of speech

I want you to be creative with your display, design, and structure. To get the full amount of points, you will need to WOW me.

How many extra credit major grade points is this project worth?

This project is worth up to 30 points on a MAJOR GRADE! The amount of points you earn of the 30 points depends on how hard I can tell you have worked on this project. I will be comparing your efforts to the efforts of your peers. You will not earn more points than someone who obviously worked harder than you did. The more creative and detail oriented you are with this project, the more extra credit points you can earn. Impress me!

***Extra credit points may not be used to replace a ZERO. They may only be added to other major grades.**

***Late projects will NOT be considered for extra credit points.**

Examples of Word Clouds:

http://www.google.com/search?q=word+cloud+image&safe=active&client=firefox-a&hs=t8C&rls=org.mozilla:en-US:official&channel=np&source=lnms&tbm=isch&sa=X&ei=nOhNUumtIYem9AS2w4AQ&ved=0CAkQ_AUoAQ&biw=1024&bih=594&dpr=1

Examples of Word Collages

http://www.google.com/search?safe=active&client=firefox-a&hs=DrX&rls=org.mozilla%3Aen-US%3Aofficial&channel=np&biw=1024&bih=594&tbm=isch&sa=1&q=word+collages+magazine+clippings&oq=word+collages+magazine+clippings&gs_l=img.3...19249.22779.0.23741.18.17.0.1.1.0.195.1677.11j6.17.0....0...1c.1.27.img..16.2.158.v1l_S-xAdRQ